(ii) State Governments/U.T. Administrations can procure 30 per cent of vanaspati produced within their jurisdiction at ex-factory price for supply through P.D.S., if they consider it necessary.

(iii) A watch is being ketp on prices of vanaspati by the Directorate of Vanaspati, Vegetable Oils & Fats with the help of State Governments/ U.T. Administrations.

(iv) States have been asked to ensure effective implementation of the pulses, Edible Oilseeds & Oils (Storage Control) Order, 1977.

(v) Sale of imported edible oils in the open market by State Trading Corporation.

Organising Youth Parliaments in India

*506. SHRI RAM CHANDER VIKAL: Will the Minister of PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to organise 'Youth Parliaments' throughout the country;

(b) if so, what are the outlines thereof: and

(c) by when the Youth Parliaments are likely to be organised throughout the country.

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) No, Sir. However, it has been decided in consultation and co-ordination with the Ministry of Human Resource Development (Deptt. of Education) that on the occasion of 40th anniversary of India's freedom, a national level competition amongst the Kendriya Vidayalayas be organised.

(b) The outlines of the aforesaid schemes are under process of finalisation.

(c) No specific date for holding the Youth Parliament Competitions amongst all the schools at national level can be given as it requires consultation and agreement with the State Governments.

Negotiation with International Fund for Agriculture Development

507 SHRI BASUDEB MOHAPATRA: Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are negotiating with the International Fund for Agriculture Development (IFAD), Rome. for launching a tribal development project in Orissa covering Kashipur Block of Koraput district; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (DR. SHRIMATI RAJENDRA KUMARI BAJPAI): (a) and (b) Negotiations have been held with the International Fund for Agricultural Development for a loan of SDRs 9,250,000 equivalent to US $12 2 Million towards part financing of a Tribal Development project in Kashipur Block of Koraput district in Orissa at an estimated cost of Rs 32 crores. The project is intended to achieve sustainable economic upliftment of the Tribal Population and to arrest further degradation of the natural resources base in the project area through a coordinated programme of investment in agricultural production, development of human resource and rural infrastructure.

Purchase of rice/wheat by NCCF Branches

*508 SHRI T. CHANDRASEKHAR REDDY: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state: